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Meeting Highlights

by Leo Davids, WFRC Secretary

On Tuesday July 12th, the Wright Flyers held the monthly membership meeting at the Montissippi Park Flying Field. This was the third outdoor meeting of the season but the first with decent flying weather.

The meeting was called to order at 7:19 PM by club president Wayne VanDenBoom. There were 4 officers and 6 members present. The newest member of the club, Dave Gilbert was introduced to those in attendance.

The Secretary read meeting minutes and they were approved as read.

The treasury report was given by Perry Dziuk. The following expenditures were noted, \$42.11 for meeting room rental last winter to the Community Ed., \$76.84 for portable toilet rental, \$143.89 to the club secretary for club newsletter and dummy security cameras. The current treasury balance is \$4646.40.

Wayne erred with his appointment calendar and will not be available for the club picnic fly-in being held on July 23rd. Tom Springer is the coordinator and chef for the event. Wayne had obtained a \$100 gift certificate from Hobby Zone in Plymouth as a prize for the picnic fly-in raffle. In addition to this donated prize, the club funds will provide certificates for \$50 and \$150 along with a Sport Brella like the ones some members already have. The call for bad weather postponement will be made on Thursday the 21st based on weather forecasts for the 23rd. The notice will be sent by email to the club members.

Wayne drew for door prizes for those attending the meeting. Joel Dirnberger won a Sport Brella and Ron Bredeken won a club logo shirt.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:05 PM.

The next meeting is scheduled for
7:00 PM on Tuesday, **August 9th,**
2011. It will be held at the Montissippi
Flying Field.

WFRC Picnic Fly-in

by Jean Davids, WFRC Newsletter Editor

Our annual fly-in and picnic was held at the club field at Montissippi Park on July 24th rather than the day before due to bad weather. A noon lunch of grilled pork chops, hot dogs, hamburgers, potato salad, chips and beverages was served by Tom Springer. He did a great job!

There was a good turnout of both members and guests from other clubs. One of the clubs had a couple members who attended and they put on an excellent demonstration of 3D helicopter flight. They even trimmed the grass a little by flying upside down close to the ground, on purpose. It was impressive.

Here's a few photos from the day.





WFRC Meeting Photos - July 12th

by Jean Davids, WFRC Newsletter Editor

I stopped by the field on meeting night and took a few photos of the action. Thought I would share them with you here since we have fewer items to include in the newsletter this month.



After a few false starts, a successful takeoff...



Leo Davids enjoyed flying his latest electric jet.





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Flying continued into the evening. LED lights helped in seeing airplanes when the sun started setting.



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